

- Maine Women in the Arts offers the opportunity for fine crafts at two of our annual shows: the summer show in July and the Prelude show in December.
- **In order to have a craft table, members must be showing artwork in the show.**
- **Members must reserve their table space with the craft chair, Linda Stone, according to the “Schedule of Shows”.**
- **Each crafter is allowed a 30”x30” space to exhibit their work.**
- **MWA is not responsible for theft or damage of works and crafts exhibited.**
- **Members must work a 2nd shift, if participating in a craft table.**
- **NEW MEMBERS wishing to display craft at the Prelude Show MUST participate with crafts in the July Show.**

Definition of fine crafts - original, quality handcrafted or hand-painted items that are non-manufactured.

Criteria:

- Craftsmanship is demonstrated in both the originality of the creation and in the execution
- Products are created directly by the artist
- No kits, manufactured or resale items
- **Anyone selling fine crafts must also show original artwork in the show.**

Cards and Calendars:

- A reasonable number of printed cards and calendars, either from a printer or done on a copier, will be displayed in the MWA racks (up to 6 slots per person for cards).
- Original cards may be displayed on the craft tables.

Following items can be placed on craft tables (all items must be handcrafted or hand painted):

- Original paintings matted and/or framed up to 8” x10” (frame size);
- Ceramics which are the original work of the artist (no commercial molds);
- Textiles (scarves, decorative pieces, knitted/woven, hand painted items);
- Christmas decorations;
- Original painted and/or hand-crafted cards;
- Jewelry – Handcrafted, one-of-a-kind pieces.
- Basketry

Pricing:

- All prices on craft items must be in whole or half-dollars; e.g., \$5.00 or \$5.50; no prices of \$9.95, etc.
- No different quantity prices, such as one for \$4.00, three for \$10.00.
- You may group sets of cards and/or notes together for a set price.
- **Each/Every item on the craft table MUST have the artist’s PREAPPROVED initials, item code/number and the price.** Example: KAL101 \$5.00

The show chair will have the authority to make final decisions in accordance with these rules during the show.

To reserve your intent to exhibit artwork contact Liz Roper: lizroper14@gmail.com.

To reserve a craft table and verify three preapproved initials contact Linda Stone: paintsmestone@gmail.com

To sign up for the one or two jobs, as appropriate, that make our show possible, contact Liz Roper: lizroper14@gmail.com.

